

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN

Plaintiff(s),

Case No.

v.

Judge

Magistrate Judge

Defendant(s).

APPLICATION TO PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

For use by incarcerated applicants filing habeas petitions or appeals from the denial or dismissal of habeas petitions or motions under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 and nonprisoners filing civil cases or appeals.

THIS APPLICATION IS FOR (check one):

Habeas Action

New Case ☐

Appeal ☐

Motion Under 28 U.S.C. § 2255

Appeal ☐

Nonprisoner Action

New Case ☐

Appeal ☐

I, _____ declare that I am the:

petitioner/plaintiff/appellant ☐

other ☐

in the above-entitled proceeding. In support of my request to proceed *in forma pauperis* under 28 U.S.C. § 1915, I declare that I am unable to pay the costs of these proceedings and that I am entitled to the relief sought. In support of this application, I have provided answers to the following questions.

1. Are you employed? Yes ☐ No ☐

If your answer is yes, state the amount of your monthly pay and provide the name and address of your employer.

Salary: _____

Name of Employer: _____

Employer's Address: _____

2. In the last 12 months, have you received money from any of the following sources?

a. Business, profession or other self-employment	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
b. Rent payments, interest or dividends	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
c. Pensions, annuities or life insurance payments	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
d. Gifts or inheritances	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
e. Other sources	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>

If you answered yes to any of these questions, state the source of the money and the amount that you received.

Source: _____

Amount: _____

3. Do you have any money in a:

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|----|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a. | Prison or jail account | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. | Checking account | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. | Savings account | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |

If you answered yes, state the total amount. Amount: _____

4. Do you own or have any interest in real estate, stocks, bonds, notes, vehicles, or other valuable property or assets (excluding ordinary household furnishings and clothing)? Yes ☐ No ☐

If you answered yes, describe the property and state its approximate value.

Property description: _____ Value: _____

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5. List the people who are dependent on you for support, state your relationship to each person and how much you contribute to their support.

Relationship: _____ Amount: _____

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Relationship: _____ Amount: _____

Relationship: _____ Amount: _____

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant and Prisoner No. if applicable _____

Address (including name of Institution) _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Telephone Number _____

REQUEST FOR SERVICE BY U.S. MARSHAL

For use only by nonprisoners filing new civil cases.

If my application to proceed *In Forma Pauperis* is granted:

- a. I request service of the summons and complaint by a U.S. Marshal. Yes ☐ No ☐

Date: _____

Signature of Applicant _____

CERTIFICATE

This section only applies to incarcerated applicants filing habeas petitions or appeals from the denial or dismissal of habeas petitions or motions under 28 U.S.C. § 2255. (To be completed by an authorized prison official.)

I certify that the applicant named herein has the sum of \$ _____ on account to his/her credit at (name of institution) _____.

I further certify that the applicant has the following securities to his/her credit at this institution:

_____.

Date: _____

Signature and Title of Authorized Official

Name of Institution